

## ECHOES FROM GETTYSBURG

COMMENDATION FOR NEW YORK TROOPS.

## SUMMER AMUSEMENTS OF NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

Adjutant-General D. H. Hastings, of Pennsylvania, in acknowledging the receipt of the tent equipment provided for the 9th Regiment at Gettysburg, which was returned in good shape when the regiment started for home, said in a letter to Colonel Seward:

"The spirit of your regiment was one of the many pleasant features of that great reunion, and the appearance of our splendid regiment had a more interesting and beneficial effect upon that portion of our National Guard which was there to see your command. The Governor directs me to send you his compliments and to say that he was very much gratified to have the pleasure of a visit from your regiment to the State, and was particularly gratified that your camp should be made in high honor. I hope that the pleasant experiences made at Gettysburg may be continued for many years, and that we may frequently have the pleasure of entertaining you and your command within the borders of this State."

General Horatio C. King, recording secretary of the Army of the Potomac, in a letter to Colonel Seward asking for a roster of the officers and the number of men of the 9th Regiment that took part in the trip to Gettysburg, says:

"Permit me, on behalf of the society, to thank you and your regiment for their generous services on the occasion, and congratulate them and you upon their excellent appearance and upon the splendid impression which they made upon all who saw them."

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas B. Rand and Private Tristram, of Company G, 6th Regiment, were the only active members of the command on the recent trip to Gettysburg who were in the famous battle. Many of the veteran corps, however, had fought upon that field.

First Lieutenant John Noble Giddings, of Company G, 71st Regiment, who is acting as adjutant of the regiment on the trip to the South, has recovered from the illness that afflicted him last season. Adjutant Philip S. Tibbet was prevented by business engagements from accompanying the command.

The court martial of the 1st Brigade will convene Wednesday evening at the 69th Regiment armory for the trial of such cases as may be brought before it. Lieutenant-Colonel William P. Walton, of the 11th Regiment, has been detailed as a member of the examining board of the 1st Brigade, in place of Lieutenant-Colonel Harding, formerly of the 22d, and now of the 12th Regiment, attached to the 2d Brigade.

The following is one of the most useful suggestions contained in Colonel Kopper's circular relating to the trip of the 71st Regiment to Richmond and the Bull Run battlefield:

"As stereolecopic liquids will beat the blood and endanger health and comfort of all, no man should take a drop with him, as the surgeons will be supplied with all that may be required for medicinal purposes. Men desiring to exchange momentos on the trip must provide them themselves, as no man will be permitted to mutilate his uniform or equipments. The purchase of buttons or other souvenirs before leaving New-York is suggested."

The 12th Regiment now has 650 men on its rolls, a gain of three since March. The ranks of this fine command, which has a splendid armory, a good record and some excellent officers, should be full by this time. Recruiting should be pushed. Affairs in the regiment are quiet this summer while the 9th and the 71st are letting the public know that they are alive.

A detachment from the 1st Battery will be in the State camp from July 25 to August 11, relieving the detachment from the same command which is now there. The men present a fine appearance in their new white helmets and neat uniforms. What they don't know about handling light field pieces is not worth mentioning. The battery has done good work during the last drill season.

Company B, 9th Regiment, has received thirty recruits since January. Captain Noah L. Cooley, who commands the company, saw plenty of active service during the war. He is as full of energy as any of the younger captains.

First-Lieutenant George L. Wentworth, Acting Adjutant of the 8th Regiment, is at the State Camp this week acting as Post Adjutant. He will remain there next week when his own regiment will be there. It is expected that 400 men of the 8th Regiment will go into camp next week.

A tattered and riddled old guidon of the 7th Regiment, which was borne in the battle of Bull Run, and near which the first man of that regiment killed in the war met his death, has been presented to the Veteran Association by W. G. Tompkins, who was acting adjutant of the regiment on that field.

The officers of the 22d Regiment will meet at the armory on the evening of July 30, for the purpose of electing a Lieutenant-colonel in the place of William J. Handing, whose name is now on the roster of the 15th Regiment. Major General Alfred Miller is in the process of promotion and is likely to be elected, although there are other strong competitors in the field.

The annual picnic of the 1st Battery, Captain Louis Wendell, will be held on August 15, and the men and their friends expect to have a grand time as usual. An energetic committee has the matter in charge.

In replying to the aspersions cast upon the men of the 11th Regiment in connection with its recent tour of duty, Colonel Stewart refers with pride to the commendation of Lieutenant Hamilton, of the United States Army, who acted as Inspector of Drills at the camp, and who expressed his satisfaction at the improvement in drill shown by the regiment while there.

Sergeant John Murray, of Company I, 6th Regiment, and Corporals Jacob H. Lange and John McAllister, of the same company, have received their warrants. The non-commissioned officers of this company are among the best in the regiment.

Toward maintaining a bid for sick National Guardsmen in the Hahnemann Hospital, \$800 has been raised by the Dramatic Club of Company I, 7th Regiment, as a result of its efforts to entertain the friends of the command last winter.

Orders are out for a second general rifle practice of the 6th Regiment at Creedmoor. The regiment will assemble at the armory for the purpose of proceeding to the rifle range on August 2. The roll will be called at 6:30 a. m.

The men will parade in state service uniform, with fatigue caps and with one day's rations and cartridges. The men will march to East Thirty-fourth-st. and take the boat there at 7:30 a. m. The 5th Regiment will go to Creedmoor on August 14.

Captain Horace J. Brooks, who commands the 1st Battalion, is chosen of an aide and the command promises to be a useful as well as ornamental accession to the National Guard.

Maj. Downs, of the 7th Regiment, is a capable and gallant officer, who distinguished himself during his tour of duty at the State Camp, where he commanded the 3d Provisional Battalion. The 13th Separate Company, which constituted a portion of this unit, was under his command. He is a soldier of great promise, and the officers have given him a Masonic emblem of rare workmanship.

Second Lieutenant Frank Koch, of Company C, 7th Regiment, has passed the physical examination, and assumes the duties of his new position before the regiment started on its Southern tour. He was formerly a member of the famous second company of the 4th Regiment.

Second Lieutenant T. Nichol, who has been appointed First Sergeant of Company F, 22d Regiment, has passed the examining board with flying colors.

The fifteenth annual picnic and the festival of the 15th Regiment will be held at a B. & N. station, Washington Park, Sixty-ninth-st. and East River, next Thursday.

It is expected that Company I, 8th Regiment, Captain Wm. H. Deane, will be present at the picnic. The camp, First Lieutenant G. H. De Vore is conducting squad drills every Wednesday night. The baseball club of the regiment has been playing all summer and has not yet been beaten. It is hard to beat. It is open to a challenge from any company in the National Guard.

Second Lieutenant Orville Harriman, Jr., of the 8th Regiment, has received his commission. Major General E. Williams, of the 11th Regiment, has been promoted with the rank of colonel, and has been compelled to leave the state, because of the imperative demands of business, which caused his removal from the state, could have induced him to withdraw from the regiment to which he has been an ornament.

**THE CUSHMAN TELEPHONE ENJOINED.**

Chicago, July 21.—Judge Blodgett, in the United States Court, began shortly after 10 o'clock this morning to read his decision in the Cushman-Bell litigation. The decision was long, but long before it was concluded, the fact became evident that the rulings were in favor of the Bell Company. The Judge held that Cushman, in order to make his claims good, must prove them beyond a doubt, but the trial had left many of his points involved in doubt deeply. After the decision, Judge Blodgett granted an injunction restraining the Cushman Company from extending its services, particularly in Indiana.

**THE PETROLEUM MARKET.**

**NEWS FROM THE FIELD AND RANGE OF PRICES.**

The crude oil market yesterday was relatively more active at the Stock Exchange than at the Consolidated board, with total transactions at the two exchanges of over 1,000,000 barrels. The butchers' well at Bakerton, which was torpedoed on Friday, was yielding 6 1/2 barrels an hour in the morning, against 7 1/2 barrels the previous day. The strength developed in refined oil, particularly a strong opening to certificates and prime refined oil, was the main factor in the market's highness on the recent bulge. Realizations were made by the oil dealers on the advance, and there was a disposition

to raid values when prices began to recede. The market closed barely steady at almost lowest quotations.

The closing of prices and the total dealings were as follows:

Stock Exchange-Concordia.

Opening High 84 84

Lowest 84 84

Final 84 84

Sales barrels 488,000 542,000

Total sales 1,026,000 1,084,000

At all ports. The foreign markets generally came with higher quotations.

**STOCKS QUIET AND STRONG.**

**IMPROVEMENT IN PRICES SHOWN.**

**THE MARKET LIMITED—FEATURES OF THE SHORT SESSION.**

**SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE—JULY 21. THE GENERAL LIST.**

**STOCKS**

**Actual Name Open High Low Final Bid Asked**

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